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CARDIAC STIMULATION DEVICE WITH ADJUSTABLE For:

BLANKING INTERVALS

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In the Office Action mailed April 10, 2007, the Examiner has identified two patentably distinct species of invention and has required Applicants to elect one species. Therefore, Applicants elect species 1 corresponding to the embodiment shown in Figure 3. The claims readable upon that species are Claims 1-5, 7-16, and 18-28. This election is made without traverse.

Please amend the application as follows.